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Tonight and Wednesday fair; heavy frost tonight; warmer Wednesday.  
**YESTERDAY'S WEATHER DATA.**  
 Maximum temperature, 60; minimum, 40; rainfall, .02; wind, west; weather, cloudy, raining.

## WARNING ISSUE IS INVOLVED IN LOSS OF VESSEL

Washington Believes That Germany's Promises are Being Tested in the Liner Cymric Case.

### INVESTIGATION BEING MADE

Fact That there Were No Americans Aboard Does Not Alter the Circumstances in the Case; Wilson's Proposal Must Be Accepted on Penalty of a Break.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—The American consul at Liverpool wired today that the crew of the Cymric had been landed at Bantry. Despite the statement of Consul Frost at Queenstown, that some sailors were lost, Liverpool insisted that all were saved.

The report that the Cymric was in the service of the British admiralty complicated the situation. It is true, the officers denied this. If true, the steamer will have to be classed as a warship and America will not be concerned in the attack.

Consul Frost has left Queenstown for Bantry to learn whether the Cymric had been warned. He will interview the officers. The fact that the Cymric was allowed to leave New York indicated it was not engaged in un-neutral business and therefore not a warship.

It was believed that Germany's new submarine policy would be tested in the Cymric case. If there was no warning the attack apparently violates Germany's orders. The fact that there were no Americans aboard does not alter the case. America made the continuance of friendly relations with Germany contingent upon the abandonment of submarine warfare against merchantmen.

Until it is known whether the Cymric was warned, officials decline to discuss the possible effects of the incident. Pending word from Berlin, the president assumes that Germany intends to accept his note with the declaration that England's policies do not enter into a settlement of the issue. Anything less than a full acceptance of the note is likely to mean a break, officials said.

## Entire Wool Clip of Cunningham Co. Bought by Burke

100,000 POUNDS CHANGES HANDS; PRICE SAID TO BE HIGHEST PAID.

The entire clip of the Cunningham Sheep & Land Co., of which J. N. Burgess is president, was sold last evening to E. J. Burke, buyer for H. C. Judd & Root of Hartford, Conn. There is nearly 100,000 pounds in the clip and it is all fine wool of first quality.

The price at which the wool sold is withheld but it is announced that it is the highest which this company has ever received for wool.

Shearing, which ordinarily is finished in this section by May 10, has hardly more than begun because of the cold spring. Quite a number of sheepmen were shearing when the present cold winds and rains began last week but ceased operations until warmer weather comes. No losses of sheep are reported as practically all of the sheepmen had sufficient sheds for sheltering the newly shorn sheep.

The prediction of the present weather department, saved the sheepmen from much inconvenience and possible losses. That prediction foretold warmer weather toward the latter part of this week.

## July Options Higher in Chicago Market

CHICAGO, May 9.—(Special to the East Oregonian)—Today's range of prices:

	Open	High	Close
May	\$1.14	\$1.15	\$1.14
July	\$1.16	\$1.16	\$1.16

Portland, Ore., May 9.—(Special)—Merchants Exchange prices today: Club, 91 bid, 94 asked; blue-stem, \$1.03 bid, \$1.07 asked.

Liverpool, May 9.—Wheat—Spot No. 1 Manitoba, 11s 11d (\$1.89 per bushel); No. 1 northern spring, 11s 5d; No. 2 red western winter, 11s 6d (\$1.67 per bushel).

## Seven Villista Bandits Sentenced to be Hanged



CONDAMNED MEXICANS. The seven prisoners were captured by American troops. They were tried, convicted and found guilty of being members of the band of ruffians that surprised and attacked the Americans at Columbus, N. M., and killed several troopers and citizens. The photograph was made in Deming jail yard.

## LINER CYMRIC IS TORPEDOED AND SUNK AND FIVE SAILORS REPORTED TO BE LOST

LONDON, May 9.—The liner Cymric was submerged and sunk at 2 o'clock this morning while attempting to reach an Irish port. Lloyd's announced that the entire crew of 110 was saved.

The Dutch steamer Crontha sent a wireless of the sinking of the Cymric. Earlier messages said that several steamers were proceeding to the rescue. White Star offices at Liverpool confirmed the rescuing of the crew.

American consuls were directed to obtain details of the torpedoing. It was believed there were no Americans aboard the vessel.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Consul Frost of Queenstown, reported that five seamen of the Cymric had perished.

## FRENCH CLAIM THAT ALL ATTACKS ON HILL FAIL

PARIS, May 9.—A violent German attack on Hill 304 this morning was repulsed, a communique claimed. The slaughter was terrific. East of the Meuse the French last night drove the Germans from points taken on Sunday.

BERLIN, May 9.—The Germans stormed and captured several trenches south of Haucourt it was officially announced. Counter attacks failed.

## Miss Saling Now 7th in Standing for Queen Honors

BLOCK OF 30,000 VOTES CAST TO DAY BOOSTS THE LOCAL CANDIDATE.

Miss Muriel Saling took another jump in the Rose Queen contest today when a block of 30,000 votes were sent in for her. Last night Miss Waive Jacobs of Klamath Falls jumped.

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## ROBERT PAY GIVEN 8 YEARS IN PRISON

NEW YORK, May 9.—Judge How sentenced Robert Pay to eight years imprisonment for conspiracy in anti-ally plotting. Paul Daech was sentenced to two and Walter Scholz to four years as accomplices.

## 124 Killed in Dublin

LONDON, May 9.—One hundred and twenty-four British soldiers were killed and 388 wounded in the Irish rebellion, Asquith announced in the house of commons. Nine are missing.

## 4 Killed in Explosion

TRENTON, May 9.—At least four were killed and 20 seriously injured in an explosion at the Atlas Powder Works at Hopatcong. Fire followed the blast.

Damascus, in Syria, is the oldest of all existing cities.

## MILITIA OF THREE STATES CALLED OUT TO GUARD THE BORDER FROM REBEL RAIDS

### Charge is Made That Raid Plot Hatched in U.S.

CONFERENCE WITH OBREGON END AND SCOTT WARNS OF TROUBLE.

Department of Justice Begins Investigation of Bandits' Dash Across the Border; European and American Interests Believed Working for Intervention.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—The raid into Glenn Springs was organized in the United States, Arredondo told Secretary Lansing today. He charges that I. Villareal probably was responsible.

Scott's message this morning indicated that the conference with Obregon had ended and efforts to secure the pact had been shattered. It intimated that Obregon had not threatened to use force, but it stated that the "situation is no good and we better prepare for trouble."

Obregon has demanded a time limit to the expedition remaining in Mexico. The cabinet today decided to refuse this positively. It was learned that the department of justice is extensively investigating the Mexican raids, believing they were organized here.

Officials said that the European powers might desire intervention, wishing to have America on the job for the influence that such a campaign would have on Europe. It was said that American interests owning huge properties in Mexico were regarded as likely to want intervention to redeem their holdings.

The force starting after the Marathon raiders was regarded as pitifully small. Funston was unable to reinforce the battalion however.

"I have no more men to send," he said despairingly. The country ahead of the tiny column is the most difficult in northern Mexico. There is no forage enroute. The chances of catching the bandits is believed small. That section of territory has long been regarded as a refuge for desperadoes from both sides of the border.

Funston felt secure regarding Pershing's men. "His supplies are ample and his lines of communication are efficient. Scott and Obregon today sent their governments lengthy reports of last night's meeting."

Funston has been fully empowered to dispose of the national guard troops. The militia is available for service in Mexico if needed. The president's step does not require congressional action unless the militia crosses the border. If crossed the militia will be enrolled as volunteers, losing the status of militia. This is the first time since the Spanish-American war that the militia has been called out. Official records show that the militia of the three states comprises 3,340 men.

## Seven Americans Overpower Guards and Cross Border

MEX CAPTURED BY MEXICAN BANDITS MAKE GETAWAY DECLARES REPORT.

MARATHON, May 9.—The seven Americans whom Mexican raiders captured, overpowered their guards and escaped across the border bringing three of the guards as prisoners. Dispatches stated.

American troops and a posse of cowboys crossed the border below Glenn Springs last night, riding at a breakneck pace. M. Mathews, bringing three wounded from the scene of the raid, declared that a Carranzista commission found the body of Captain Rodriguez, a raider. Another dead Mexican was found nearby.

## NEWS SUMMARY

General. Militia of Texas, Arizona and New Mexico have been called out to patrol the border.

Sinking of liner Cymric may bring up a new crisis with America.

Local. Burgess clip sold for high prices.

Manual training exhibit at high school tomorrow.

Miss Saling takes another rise in queen contest.

## Texas, Arizona and New Mexico National Guard Will be Sent to Various Points Immediately; Will be Under Funston's Command; Two Regiments of Regulars Also Ordered South.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Army officials carefully concealed the contents of Scott's report. There was no mistaking that its tone was serious. Many believed that Obregon had broken with Carranza. Reports that a break was imminent had been widely circulated lately. Obregon had the opportunity to rally the northern leaders and many believe he is now in a strategic position to gain control of the government.

EL PASO, May 9.—Scott sent Colonel Brown to arrange for a conference with Obregon this afternoon. It was learned definitely that Obregon did not present an ultimatum last night. He refused to sign the pact unless the withdrawal clause was incorporated. Interventionists were jubilant. Mayor Lea of El Paso, said he was delighted over the new developments.

PHOENIX, Ariz., May 9.—General Harris ordered the immediate mobilization of Arizona's militia this morning. Only 400 troops, half the paper strength of the state guard are available.

The mobilization orders were greeted quietly. They had been expected since the Glenn Springs raid. Owing to internal political troubles the National Guard has been in the process of reorganization. It will take weeks to recruit it to full strength, it is believed.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—The president has called out the militia of Texas, Arizona and New Mexico for service on the Mexican border, Secretary of War Baker announced. A statement issued said: "The outbreak in the Big Bend district has further emphasized the danger of similar occurrences and the president has called out the militia of Texas, Arizona and New Mexico. The militia has been ordered to report to Funston, who will assign it stations on the border. Besides, two regiments of regulars have been directed to proceed to the border. Such further arrangements will be made as are necessary to complete the security of the people against raids."

Regular infantry from Plattsburg and Oswego, New York, and Vancouver, Washington, have been ordered to the border. The militia of the three states totals about 4000. Baker said that the orders were the result of the recommendations made by Scott and Funston regarding the Texas raid. He would not deny or affirm the report that Obregon had demanded the withdrawal of Americans on penalty of a clash with the Carranzistas.

Kreedondo told Lansing that Villareal was the agitator responsible for the raid. He said he had no indication of a further request from Obregon for the withdrawal of Americans. He urged that more American troops guard the American side of the boundary and watch for conspirators who are endeavoring to stir up a mutiny among the Carranzistas and inflame border sentiment. Lansing will take these charges before Baker immediately. Arredondo said that Villareal had endeavored to stir up a mutiny among the Carranzistas at Laredo. Failing there, he picked a border point with the scantiest guard. Arredondo said that American arms and information from American sources resulted in the success of the raid at Glenn Springs. He declared he feared further raids.

## Joint Debate to be Held Tonight Over Bond Issue

HINKLE OF HERMISTON AND SMITH OF PORTLAND WILL TAKE PART.

This evening in the court house a joint debate upon the merits of the proposed bond issue will be held with J. T. Hinkle of Hermiston and Eugene E. Smith, president of the Central Labor Union of Portland, opposing the plan.

The general public is invited to hear the debate which will begin at 8 o'clock. Mr. Smith arrived yesterday upon invitation of local opponents of the bond issue and planned to speak on the streets this evening. However, owing to the weather it was decided not to attempt an open air meeting.

## Manual Training Work of H. School to be on Display

EXHIBIT WILL INCLUDE HANDICRAFT OF GRADE SCHOOLS AS WELL.

Tomorrow will be Demonstration Day at the Pendleton High school and all local people, parents or otherwise, are invited to visit the school and see the work in the different departments. There will be students to meet visitors and escort them through the building showing the work and exhibits in the various departments.

The domestic science department will have an exhibit showing grade and high school work and this will be open to visitors all through the day.

The manual training department will also have an all day display of work by grade and high school students.

In the agricultural course there will be exhibit testing of milk by the Babcock test from 10 until 11:30 a. m., and from 2:30 until 3:45 in the afternoon.

The work of the manual training department of the High school will be put on display tomorrow at 9 o'clock in the manual arts department rooms of the school.

The exhibit will include all kinds of work done by the grade pupils and the High school students. In the grade school room will be, joinery, lathe turning and such things as coat hangers, ironing boards and sleeve presses.

In the High school division there will be all kinds of furniture for the home and work of the mechanical drawing department.

In the forging building will be shown different forms of welding, chains, rings and clevises. In all these departments the boys can be seen in their actual work during the school hours.

Besides this, the chemistry and physics classes will show some of their work for the past year. The chemistry class, who have been studying patent medicines and fake adds will display a large collection of the patent medicines and adds of "quacks" they have collected from magazines.

The domestic science and art classes will also make displays in their department of work, including hand work and dress making, hat trimming, canned fruits, breads and different groups of food.

From 3 until 3:30 in the afternoon coffee and salad will be served in the domestic science department, the proceeds being used for helping defray the track teams expenses to Baker.

The demonstration work will be at the High school instead of down town this year so as to allow visitors to see the entire school. Principal Gamble and other members of the faculty are anxious to have many local people visit the school and become familiar with the scope of the work carried on.

## FREAK FROST HURTS CROPS IN CALIFORNIA

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—Damage estimated at \$1,000,000 was reported in northern and central California as the result of a freak frost Sunday morning. The heaviest losses are the vineyards, the grape crops of Napa and Sonoma counties being damaged respectively 50 to 60 per cent. and 70 to 80 per cent. according to estimates made. For the most part, fruit escaped, but some other crops, including hops and potatoes, were badly hit.

The upper photograph shows the reviewed by President and Mrs. Wilson the other day. They are learning the part in warfare that women may play. The lower picture shows school boys of San Francisco at a training camp at Manzanita. Hundreds of boys have been given the rudiments of military life there.